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Global R&D expenditures, by region: 2013



PPP = purchasing power parity.

NOTES: Foreign currencies are converted to dollars through PPPs. Some country data are estimated. Countries are grouped according to the regions described by *The World Factbook*, www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/.

SOURCES: National Science Foundation, National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics estimates, August 2015. Based on data from the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development, *Main Science and Technology Indicators* (2015 /1); and the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization Institute for Statistics Data Centre, <http://www.uis.unesco.org/DataCentre/Pages/BrowseScience.aspx>, accessed 23 January 2015.

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